



## Smoke Outlook for 10/11 - 10/12

### Fresno CA - KNP Complex

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#### Special Statement

Air Quality High Wind Advisory Gusty wind and blowing dust pose potential health concern Valley-wide  
[https://www.valleyair.org/recent\\_news/Media\\_releases/2021/AQ-High-Wind-Advisory-10-10-2021.pdf](https://www.valleyair.org/recent_news/Media_releases/2021/AQ-High-Wind-Advisory-10-10-2021.pdf)

#### Fire

Yesterday, relative humidity and cooler temperatures continued to limit fire behavior to creeping and smoldering. Today, expect low fire behavior with little forward fire progression due to possible precipitation and snow from 5000' elevation. Interior pockets of fuel will continue to burn. For more information see [inciweb.nwccg.gov](https://www.inciweb.nwccg.gov).

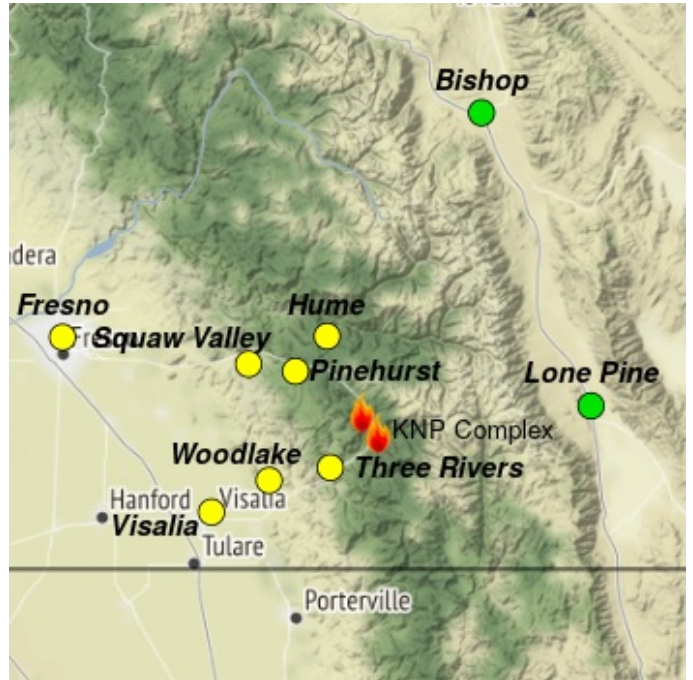
#### Smoke

Yesterday saw Good to Unhealthy air quality in the forecast area. A cold front with light rain and snow showers along with local gusty winds today through tonight should limit fire behavior and smoke impacts. The Central Valley should see Moderate air quality due to blowing dust. Three Rivers will continue to see smoke impacts overnight and into the morning until the winds start picking up. Communities east of the Sierra should continue to see Good conditions. Smoke impacts will be heavily dependent on fire activity.

#### Health and Safety

Air quality may change unexpectedly. If you begin to notice health effects from smoke, you are encouraged to follow the "actions to protect yourself" listed below.

For points south of Visalia, please see the smoke outlook for Southern Sierra - Sequoia. [fires.airfire.org/outlooks](https://fires.airfire.org/outlooks)



Daily AQI Forecast\* for Oct 11, 2021

Station	Yesterday hourly	Sun 10/10	Forecast* Comment for Today -- Mon, Oct 11	Mon 10/11	Tue 10/12
Fresno			May see degraded air quality in the morning.		
Visalia			May see degraded air quality in the morning.		
Woodlake			May see degraded air quality in the morning.		
Three Rivers	No hourly data		24-hour was averaged. May see degraded air quality in the morning and overnight.		
Squaw Valley			May see degraded air quality in the morning and overnight.		
Pinehurst			May see degraded air quality in the morning and overnight.		
Hume			May see degraded air quality in the morning.		
Bishop			Should see Good air quality all day.		
Lone Pine			Should see Good air quality all day.		

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Air Quality Index (AQI)	Actions to Protect Yourself
Good	None
Moderate	Unusually sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion.
USG	People within Sensitive Groups* should <b>reduce</b> prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion.
Unhealthy	People within Sensitive Groups* should <b>avoid all</b> physical outdoor activity.
Very Unhealthy	Everyone should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion.
Hazardous	Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity.

\*Disclaimer: This forecast is based on fine particulates only; ozone is not included. Forecasts may be wrong; use at own risk. Use caution as conditions can change quickly. See your health professional as needed. Smoke sensitive groups should take appropriate precautions.

#### Additional Links

San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District -- <https://www.valleyair.org/Home.htm>  
 EPA's Fire and Smoke Map -- <https://fire.airnow.gov/>  
 KNP Complex latest information -- <https://inciweb.nwccg.gov/incident/7838/>

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District -- <https://www.gbuapcd.org/>  
 California Smoke Info -- <http://californiasmokeinfo.blogspot.com/>  
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Fresno CA Current Outlook -- [tools.airfire.org/outlooks/FresnoCA](http://tools.airfire.org/outlooks/FresnoCA)  
\*Smoke and Health Info -- [www.airnow.gov/index.cfm?action=smoke.index](http://www.airnow.gov/index.cfm?action=smoke.index)

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